PAGE 01/02

OCT 2 1 2004

HUBR-1204 (10201242)

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant(s)

SEINFELD

Serial No.

10/049,216

Filed

April 8, 2002

For

MEDICAMENTS THAT CONTAIN XENOGENIC OLIGO-

OR/AND POLYRIBONUCLEOTIDES

Art Unit

1635

Examiner

J. B. Ashen

October 21, 2004

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA. 22313-1450 I hereby certify that this correspondence is being sent by facsimile to 1-703-872-9306 addressed to Commissioner for Patents, P. O. Box 1,450 on the date shown below:

Eileen Sheffield

Signature

RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Sirs:

Responsive to the restriction requirement mailed September 23, 2004, applicants wish to elect Group II, claims 15 and 19-20 drawn to methods of treating infections of Herpesviridae and/or skin tumours in a subject comprising administering xenogenic oligo- and/or polyribonucletides. If any fees are due to enter this paper or to maintain pendency of this application,

please charge the fees to Deposit Account No. 50-0624.

Respectfully submitted

FULBRIGHT & JAWORSKI L.L.P.

James R. Crawford

Reg. No. 39,155

666 Fifth Avenue New York, New York 10103 (212) 318-3148